

## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

## **2003 Senate Bill 407**

## Senate Amendment 1

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Senate Bill 407 authorizes the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to exempt deer hunters in chronic wasting disease intensive harvest or herd reduction zones from having a deer hunting license, wearing a back tag, or tagging a deer killed in the hunt. The bill also repeals the general prohibition on the issuance of a deer hunting license, sports license, or conservation patron license during the open season for the hunting of deer.

**Senate Amendment 1** replaces the two types of areas in which the DNR manages chronic wasting disease, chronic wasting disease intensive harvest zones, and chronic wasting disease herd reduction zones with a single type of area, chronic wasting disease control zones.

## Legislative History

On February 18, 2004, the Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommended introduction and adoption of Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 407 and recommended passage of Senate Bill 407, as amended, on separate votes of Ayes, 5; Noes, 0.

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